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YOUNG ELECTED LEADERS PROJECT

2022-2023 NEBRASKA LEGISLATURE

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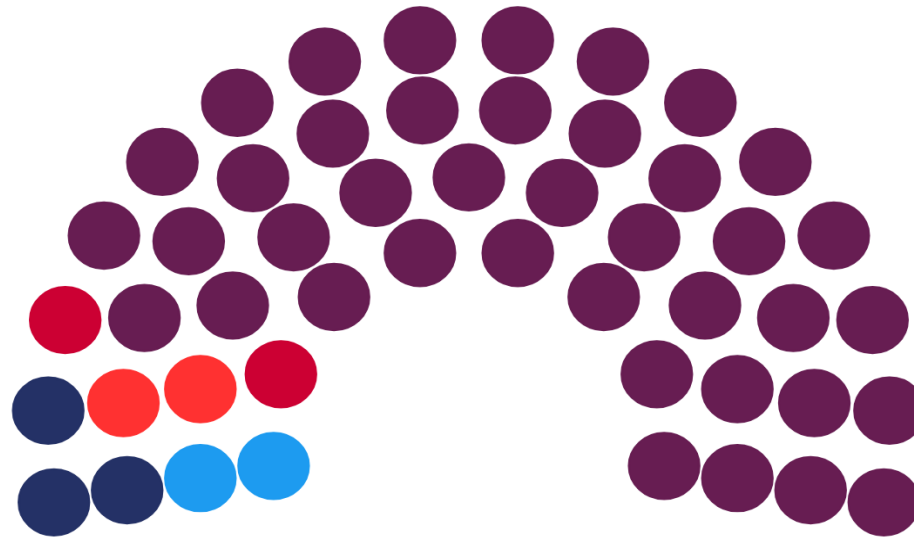
Year: 2022

Title: 2022-2023 Nebraska General Assembly

2022-2023 Nebraska Legislature - Unicameral Chamber

Number of Legislators	49
Number of Legislators in dataset	100 (100% complete)
Average Age of Legislators	56.02 years
Number of Legislators \leq 35 Years of Age	4 (8.16%)
Youngest Legislator	Rep. Julie E. Slama Female Born 1996 White Republican Party
Number Female Legislators	18 (36.73%)
Average Age Female Legislators	52.3 Years
Number of Male Legislators	31 (63.27%)
Average Age Male Legislators	58.2 years
Number of Democrat Legislators	5 (10.20%)
Average Age Democrat Legislators	40.3 years
Number of Republican Legislators	8 (10.53%)
Average Age Republican Legislators	43.72 years
Number of Non - Partisan Legislators	40 (81.61%)
Average Age of Non – Partisan Legislators	59.3 Years

Nebraska State Legislature 2022-2023



Party	2024
● Missing Democrats (age)	0
● Democratic YELs	2
● Democrats	3
● Republican YELs	2
● Republicans	2
● Missing Republicans (age)	0
● Non-Partisan YELs	0
● Non-Partisan	40
● Vacant	0
● Missing Party	0

Source: Young Elected Leaders Project 2023 • YEL is a legislator ≤ 35 years of age.
Representative of legislators elected November, 2022

Nebraska Legislature, 2022-2023

Generational Composition

Count

Silent Generation (1928-1945)

1

Baby Boomers (1946-1964)

27

Gen X (1965-1980)

11

Millennials (1981-1996)

10

Gen Z (1997-2012)

0

Missing

0

Young Elected Leaders Project: Nebraska State Legislature, 2022-2023
Representative of legislators elected, Nov. 2022

Nebraska State Legislature, 2022-2023 Race/Ethnicity Composition, All Legislators

Count

American Indian/Alaska Native
0

Asian
0

Black/African American
1

Hispanic/Latino
2

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander
1

Two or more ethnicities
0

Other race/ethnicity
0

White
37

Missing
8

- American Indian/Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black/African American
- Hispanic/Latino
- Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander
- Two or more ethnicities
- Other race/ethnicity
- White
- Missing

Young Elected Leaders Project: Nebraska State Legislature, 2024-2025 • U.S. Census Bureau -
Race/Ethnicity Categories
Representative of legislators elected in November, 2022

Nebraska State Legislature, 2022-2023 Race/Ethnicity Composition, Young Elected Leaders

Count

American Indian/Alaska Native
0

Asian
0

Black/African American
1

Hispanic/Latino
0

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander
0

Two or more ethnicities
0

Other race/ethnicity
0

White
1

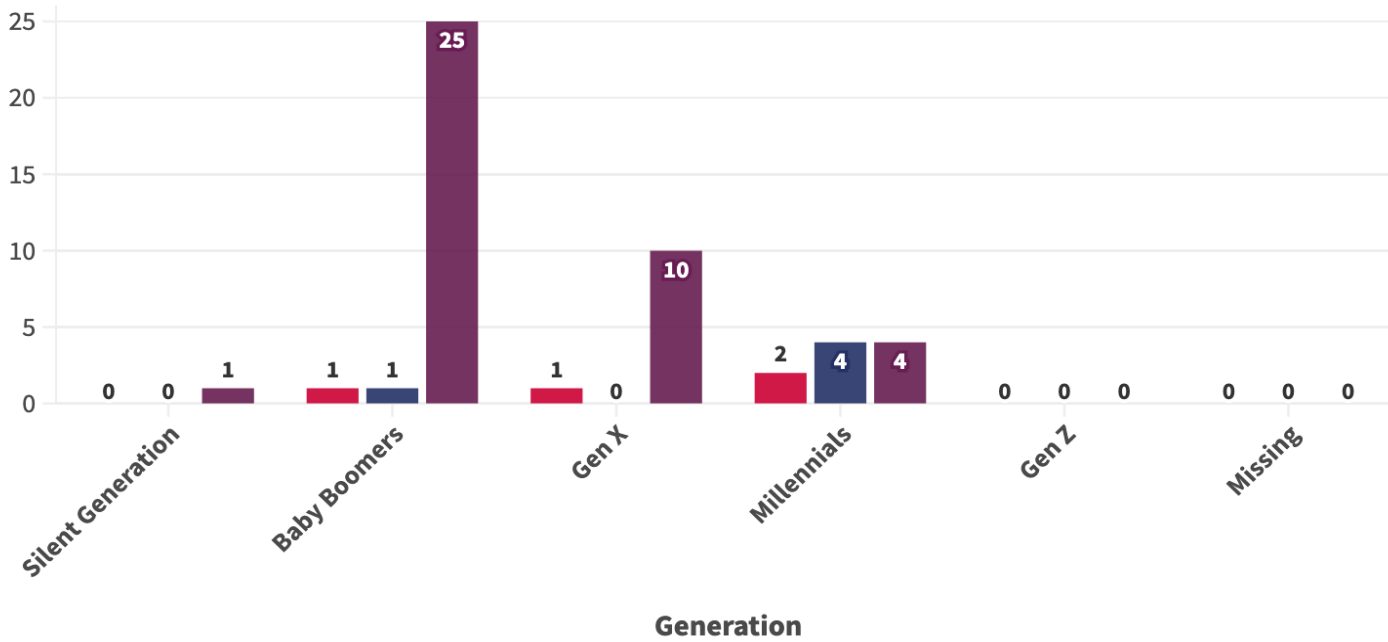
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Nebraska Legislature, 2022-2023 Generation by Party

Count



■ Republican
 ■ Democrat
 ■ Non Partisan

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Nebraska State Legislature, 2022-2023

Proportion of YELs by Party and Gender

Proportion

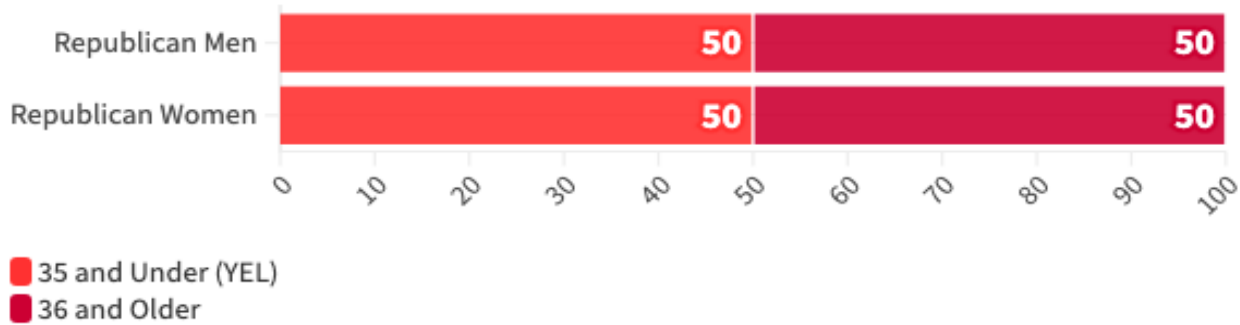


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Nebraska State Legislature, 2022-2023

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Proportion

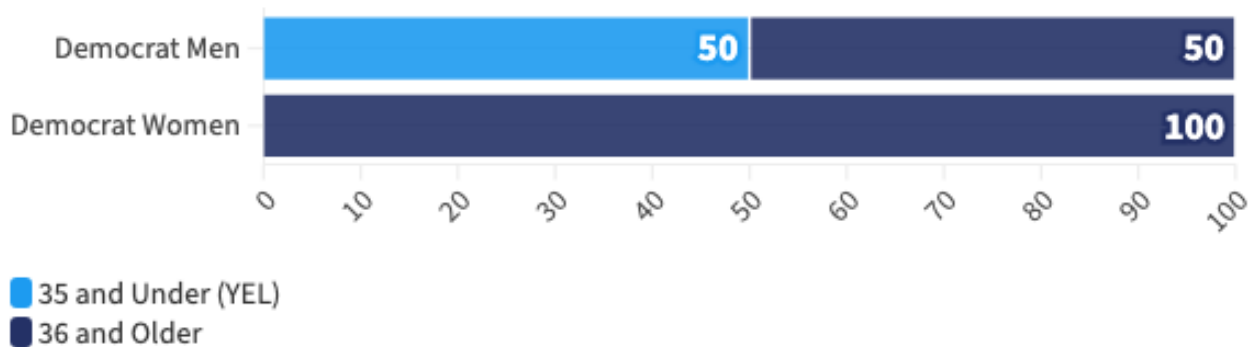


Young Elected Leaders Project: Nebraska State Legislature, 2022-2023 • Representative of legislators elected November, 2022
 * N = 4 Due to Non-Partisan Identity

Nebraska House of Representatives, 2022-2023

Proportion of YELs by Party and Gender

Proportion



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